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1. THE WINE CONSULTATIONS OF JULY 10-11 WERE NOTABLE FOR THE REVELATION BY THE COMMISSION SIDE THAT IN ALL PROBABILITY THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF REG. 2133/74 ON WINE LABELLING, WILL BE POSTPONED TO SEPTEMBER 1, 1976. THE CONSULTATIONS, WHOSE TONE WAS AMICABLE, PROVIDED THE OPPORTUNITY FOR A FULL EXCHANGE OF QUESTIONS, COMPLAINTS, AND INFORMATION REGARDING EACH SIDE'S PRESENT OR PORPOSED PRACTICES AF-FECTING TRADE IN WINE. THE US SIDE STRESSED THE NEED FOR PERMANENT EXEMPTION FROM THE CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENT AND FROM THE PROSPECTIVE LABELLING REGULATION. THE COMMISSION OFFICIALS RESPONDED THAT THEY FELT IT WAS PREMATURE TO CONSIDER THESE REQUESTS AT THE PRESENT STAGE THE TWO SIDES SHOULD CONCENTRATE ON EX-CHANGING INFORMATION AND NARROWING DIFFERENCES. THE US SIDE INVITED THE COMMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN FURTHER CONSULTATIONS THIS AUTUMN; THE COMMISSION OFFICIALS SAID THEY WOULD DISCUSS THIS PROPOSAL WITH THEIR SUPERIORS, BUT PRIVATELY INDICATED INTEREST IN IT.

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